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Invention: METHOD FOR CONVEYING BNYVV RESISTANCE TO SUGAR BEET PLANTS

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment and Petition for Extension of time in the above-identified application.

 Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.27 has been established by	a							
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A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

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X A check in the amount of \$950.00 is enclosed for a 3-month Petition for Extension of Time.

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